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SUBJECT: ANTI-JAPANESE DEMONSTRATIONS

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1. ANTI-JAPANESE DEMONSTRATIONS REACHED A PEAK AFTERNOON SEPT 12 WHEN VETERANS' GROUP ESTIMATED AT MORE THAN 1,000 MARCHED DOWN MAIN STREET AND JOINED OTHER DEMONSTRATORS IN SERIES OF SPIRITED ENGAGEMENTS WITH RIOT POLICE IN AREAS SURROUNDING JAPANESE EMBASSY.

2. CLASHES WITH POLICE WERE CHARACTERIZED BY VIOLENCE SIMILAR TO MORNING DEMONSTRATIONS (REFTEL). VETERANS USED STONES FROM NEARBY CONSTRUCTION SITE TO BARRAGE POLICE. POLICE JEEP TAKING AWAY WHAT APPEARED TO BE A DEMONSTRATION LEADER WAS CAUGHT IN CROWD AND ITS LIGHTS BROKEN AND DOOR RIPPED OFF BEFORE CLEARING CROWD.

3. POLICE USED LIBERAL AMOUNTS OF TEARGAS AND PEPPER FOG AS THEY BROKE DEMONSTRATORS INTO SMALLER GROUPS WHICH THEN UNCLASSIFIED

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DISPERSED IN STREETS AND ALLEYS NEAR EMBASSY.

4. AS OF 1730 HOURS, SITUATION IN AREA WAS RELATIVELY QUIET
WITH POLICE MUCH IN EVIDENCE.
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